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DISTRIBUTION OF LOAN BY SIDBI
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of small scale industrial units set up during the last three years, year-wise and the amount of loans disbursed by the Small Industries Development Bank of India;

(b) whether the Small Industries Development Bank of India has proposed to expand the scope of its activities;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL)

(a): The number of Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) set up during the years 2004-05, 2005-06 and 2006-07 are 118.59, 123.42 and 128.44 lakh, respectively. The Small Industries Development Bank of India (SIDBI) has disbursed an amount of Rs. 18,992.80 crore to MSMEs during the above period.

(b) & (c): SIDBI plans to have 100 branches by 2009 as against 64 branches as on 31.03.2007. SIDBI has also formed a corpus of Rs.100 crore for providing equity support to fast growing SMEs. Further, SIDBI has promoted a number of associate institutions in collaboration with the Government of India and Banks to help micro and small units in getting collateral/ third party guarantee free loans from banks/institutions, for providing equity capital assistance and for technology related services to SME units.

(d): Does not arise.